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## In the Claims:

Kindly amend the claims as follows:

- (Currently Amended) Method for manufacturing components made in one piece, 1. which appear in a weaving machine, comprising one or more first and second parts, said parts being manufactured in separate first and second parts and being joined together to form a whole by means of processes which practically do not change the cross-section of said parts, wherein said first and second parts have:
  - -different mechanical and/or magnetic and/or tribological properties; and/or and/of
  - -a different manufacturing method; and/or
  - -different shape properties

according to their functional requirements in the component.

- (Currently Amended) Method according to claim 1, wherein finishing the parts 2. requiring the most expensive and/or labor-intensive manufacturing method is done by means of a vibrating drum.
- (Currently Amended) Method according to claim 1, wherein said first and second 3. parts are joined together by means of resistance welding or laser beam welding.
- (Previously Presented) Method according to claim 1, wherein the parts requiring 4. the most expensive and/or labor-intensive manufacturing method have a length which is shorter than 0.3 meters and the entire components have a length situated between about 0.4 and 2 meters.
- 5. (Previously Presented) Method according to claim 1, wherein said component is a hook (1b), comprising:

- a first part (4a) consisting of a stamped piece of material, which may be covered by injection moulding;
- -a second part (4d) consisting of a flat piece of material having adequate magnetic properties, so that it may be influenced by a magnetic selector;
- -a third part (4b) consisting of a stamped piece of spring steel;
- -a fourth part (3) consisting of a flat piece of material available on the market; and
- -a fifth part (4c) consisting of a stamped piece of material.

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- (Currently Amended) Method according to claim 1, wherein said component is a 6. lancet, comprising:
  - -a first part, consisting of a stamped piece of material having an appropriate shape, for instance, a stepped-shape;
  - -a second part consisting of a strip having a cross-section corresponding to that of flat steel; and
  - -a third part, consisting of a stamped piece of material, designed to be fixed in a lancet holder.
- (Currently Amended) Method according to claim 1, wherein said component is a 7. heddle (10b), comprising:
  - -a first part (13a) made of wire material or flat steel (or flat-steel);
  - -a second part (14) consisting of a stamped piece of material; and
  - -a third part (13b) made of wire material.
- (Previously Presented) Method according to claim 7, wherein said second part at 8. one of its two sides ends in a cylindrical extremity having the same diameter as the wire material of the first (13a) and/or the third part (13b).